GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS
LOK SABHA

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SUNIL KHAN

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of villages in Manker region Bankura district of West Bengal having and yet not having telephone facility at present; and

(b) the time by which the said facility is likely to be provided in the remaining villages?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS(SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

(a) 15 villages around Manker region in the district of Burdwan are having telecom facility. The number of villages not yet having telephone facility is 12.

(b) The remaining villages are planned to be provided with telephone facility by March, 2002.